Community Support Specialist I – CSRS
Intercommunity Action • Philadelphia, PA

Job Snapshot
- Full-Time – 37.5 hours
- Travel - Up to 50%

Experience - Bachelor's degree with two years human services experience strongly preferred; Associates degree with three years human services experience or; minimum high school diploma, with 5 years experience in behavioral health or related field or internship in college Human Services Program.

If program transitions to MPRS will obtain certification within 2 years of program start date.

Behavioral Health Services, Therapeutic Recreation, Social Services, Not for Profit - Charitable

Job Description
The Community Support Specialist (CSS – CHIP/CSRP) promotes recovery and resilience in alignment with the Practice Guidelines through providing social, recreational and vocational services to participants in the CHIP project that live at CareLink and in the Community Support Recovery Program at the Carriage House and in the community. The CSS – CHIP/CSRP partners with the program participant to develop and sustain skills to engage in meaningful relationships, problem solving, community integration, family inclusion, life skills and meaningful activity. These support services occur on a flexible schedule, based on the need of the program and participants, including day, evening, weekend and holidays at various program sites and in the community.

Job Requirements - Qualifications include:
1. Bachelor's degree with two years human services experience strongly preferred; Associates degree with three years human services experience or; minimum high school diploma, with 5 years experience in behavioral health or related field or internship in college Human Services Program.

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2. CSS must: use sound judgment, possess good interpersonal and communication skills, demonstrate a professional demeanor at all times, have good organizational skills, be able to plan time and complete assigned tasks by established deadlines.
3. Ability to work independently and as part of a team, share office space and work in a group setting.
5. Ability to work a flexible schedule including a combination of day, evening, weekend, and some holiday hours to meet the program needs and service plan goals/preference/interests of CSRS program participants/residents serviced by the CSRS unit.

Intercommunity Action, Inc. is an EO Employer – M/F/Veteran/Disability
Interested candidates may forward their cover letter and resume to Human Resources @ intercommunity Action, Inc. 6012 Ridge Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19128

OR Contact: Direct of Community Support Recovery-based Services - lfosterpage@intercommunityaction.org

Intercommunity Action

For over 40 years, Intercommunity Action, Inc. (Interact) has provided assistance to help people live successfully in the community. Interact was established in 1969 as a private, not-for-profit, community-based organization designed to meet the human services needs of the residents of the Andorra, Roxborough, Manayunk, Wissahickon, East Falls, and Nicetown neighborhoods of Northwest Philadelphia. While most of our services benefit the residents of these communities, our programs have grown to reach across Philadelphia and its surrounding counties.